

LORD OF THE DANCE

Sydney Carter (1915–2004)

Traditional Shaker melody
adapted by Sydney Carter (1915–2004)
arranged by Ashley Grote (b.1982)

Moderato $\text{♩} = 60$

SOPRANO SOLO

ORGAN

Ch. 4' Flute only

mp

p

pp

Sw.

5

danced in the morn-ing when the world was be-gun, and I danced in the moon and the

8

stars_ and the sun, and I came down from heav-en and I danced on the earth, at

11

Beth - le - hem I had my birth.

15 SOPRANOS TUTTI

mp

Dance, then, wher - ev - er you may be, I am the Lord of the

Ch. 8', 4' Flutes

p
add

18

Dance, said he, and I'll lead you all wher - ev - er you may be, and I'll

21

lead you all in the Dance, said he.

26

Sw. to 2' *p*

Man.

mp cresc.

30 TENORS & BASSES

mf leggiero

I danced for the scribe and the phar - i - see, but

Gt

mf

34

they would not dance and they would-n't fol-low me. I danced for the fish-er-men, for

37

James and for John – they came with me and the Dance went on. _____

+ Full Sw.

Ped.

f *leggiero*

41 Dance, then, wher - ev - er you may be, I am the Lord of the Dance, said he, and I'll

Dance, then, wher - e'r you be, I am the Lord of the Dance, said he,

TUTTI

f *leggiero*

45 lead you all wher - ev - er you may be, and I'll lead you all in the Dance, said he.

lead you wher - e'r you be, lead you all in the Dance, said he.

Gt to 2'

f Sw.